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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: T.L. Ritzdorf et al. Attorney Docket No: SEMT116049
Application No.: 09/018,783 Group Art Unit: 2823
Filed: February 4, 1998 Examiner: D.M. Collins
Title: METHOD FOR FILLING RECESSED MICRO-STRUCTURES WITH
METALLIZATION IN THE PRODUCTION OF A MICROELECTRONIC
DEVICE

TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION/
REQUEST FOR RECORDATION OF ASSIGNMENT/
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Seattle, Washington 98101

June 13, 2001

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Transmitted herewith are the following:

- X 1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts.
- X 2. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, Information Cited by Applicant and references cited.
- X 3. Amendment.

COMPUTATION OF FEE

	Number Filed		Number Extra		Rate	
Basic Fee (CPA)						710
Total Claims	22 - 20	=	2	x	18	= 36
Independent Claims	6 - 3	=	3	x	80	= 240
Multiple Dependent Claim				+		
Surcharge				+	130	130
Extension of Time				+	110	110
TOTAL						\$1226

B. Request for Extension of Time

Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (CPA) dated April 6, 2001, set to expire

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on June 6, 2001, be extended by 1 month, to expire on July 6, 2001. The enclosed check includes the 1-month extension fee of \$110.00.

C. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 129300 in the amount of \$1,226.00 to cover the requisite fees.

D. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on the below date.

Date: June 13, 2001

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NOTICE TO FILING MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION (CPA)
Filing Date Granted

The Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) request filed on 3/28/01 is entitled to a filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(d)(1). The CPA request, however, lacks the filing fee(s) and/or items indicated below.

Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE** within which to file the fee(s), item(s), and any surcharge required below to avoid abandonment of this CPA. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The total amount owed by applicant is the sum of items 1(a) or (b), 2, and 3 (if checked) below.

- ☒ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:
☐ missing.
☐ insufficient.

(a) Applicant must submit \$ 710.00 to complete the basic filing fee and the \$130.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) (non-small entity), or \$ 840.00 to complete the basic filing fee as a small entity and the \$65.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) and file a small entity statement under 37 CFR 1.27 claiming such status (if the prior application was entitled to small entity status and such status is still proper and desired, a new small entity statement is **not** required (37 CFR 1.28)).

(b) Applicant must submit \$ _____ to complete the basic filing fee as a small entity and the \$65.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).

- ☐ 2. Additional claim fees of
\$ 240.00 (non-small entity) or \$ _____ (small entity) for 3 independent claims over 3.
\$ 198.00 (non-small entity) or \$ _____ (small entity) for 11 claims over 20.
\$ _____ (non-small entity) or \$ _____ (small entity) for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

- ☐ 3. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21 (m)).
☐ 4. The CPA request is unsigned. Applicant must file a signed duplicate or ratification of the CPA request.
☐ 5. Other: _____

A copy of this Notice MUST be returned with the reply.

Direct the reply and any questions about this Notice to:

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